

# The Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 13.

**COURT.**—On Saturday, the rules against S. Barnes, R. F. Prettyman, John Pierpoint, Thomas Coyle, L. P. Walker, C. C. Bradley, Geo. P. Gregory, Garret Hulst, Jas. Grimes, John Gray and George Davis were ordered to be discharged, upon payment of costs.

The rules against Edwin Henry, Leopold Genzberger and Geo. Siggers were ordered to be discharged without costs.

James A. Stoutenburgh, appointed to assist E. H. Delahay, Commissioner of Revenue, qualified by taking the oath prescribed.

The rules against W. J. Herriek, J. F. W. Whitmore, Thomas Nichols, Wm. Kane, Shirley King, R. H. Warder and J. T. Evans were enlarged till the first day of the November term of the Court.

John Baggot, Harrison Javins, Geo. Nelson and Samuel Tenneson, having refused to qualify as grand jurors, it was ordered that they be fined and attached in the sum of eight dollars each and costs.

Ellis Price, Henry Riston, C. F. Wilson, Peter Simpson, James Price, Richard Tatsapough, Patrick Hammil, Hiram Webster, Jefferson Elliott and Henry Clapdore were ordered to be fined five dollars each and costs, for refusing to qualify as petit jurors.

Jefferson Tacey's account, for examining the books of the Commissioner of Revenue for 1861, was presented and allowed.

The Court allowed the petit jurors, who served at this term, as follows: John Bruin, \$4; John Moore, \$2 50; James McGinnis, \$2 50; James Downey, \$2 50; Randall Fenton, \$3; A. J. Ogden, \$2; Joseph Colton, \$3 50; Owen Nugent, \$3; F. Daw, \$4; O. C. Whittlesey, \$3 50; H. Callan, \$3; C. C. Wade, \$1 75; S. C. Milburn, \$2 25; Wm. Sampson, \$2 25; W. L. Penn, \$1 75; Jos. Nichols, \$2 25; J. P. Whitmore, \$1 75; Lewis Sherwood, \$2 25; Wm. Radcliffe, \$2 25; G. Lent, \$2 25; Thomas Curran, \$1.

Appeals, motions, chancery and other cases were continued till next term of the Court, and the Court adjourned.

The National Intelliger, says:—"The First Regiment District Columbia Volunteers has been ordered to Alexandria to act as provost guard there. Col. Tait has relieved Gen. Slough as Military Governor of that city."

**LOCAL.**—The weather has, at last, turned cool, and winter clothing, and even fires, are not uncomfortable: there have been continued showers of rain for the last two days.—The inclemency of the weather prevented the places open for Public Worship from being as well filled yesterday, as is usual on Sundays; the town was quiet, and for the most part, good order prevailed.

We stated on Saturday that Gen. Belknap at the request of the President of the Ivy Hill Cemetery, had ordered a guard at the Cemetery, to protect that burial place. The guard is there on duty, and it is said, will be strict in the discharge of their duty.

The price of coal is increasing in the Philadelphia market, as the speculators are at work; along with other causes.

**THE CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORPHAN ASYLUM.**—The arrangements for the Concert at Liberty Hall on Friday evening next, for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum, have all been completed, and the tickets for the same placed in the hands of the ladies, to be disposed of. We have no doubt they will perform the important part assigned them with their accustomed zeal and activity. The whole matter is now with them, and we hope to hear in a day or two of the sale of a sufficient number of tickets to fill the house. It has been a long time since our citizens, and especially the ladies, have enjoyed the privilege of a public Concert, and we hope now they will turn out and avail themselves of this occasion. Every arrangement have been made both for their comfort and entertainment, and it is expected that all will attend that can. We should not forget that it is for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum. It will be well for all to obtain tickets in time, as but a limited number can be accommodated with seats.

The schooner recently destroyed by fire, on the Potomac, between Matthias and Bluff Points, it is said now, was the Elizabeth Elenora, Capt. Dana, of N. York, bound up with a cargo of hay and oats. It is thought she was boarded by a crew from the Virginia shore, her crew captured, and the vessel destroyed—but this is not certain.

**RELEASED.**—Mr. Martin, who was arrested week before last and taken to the Old Capitol Prison, in Washington, was released on Friday last, there being no charges preferred against him.

On Friday and Saturday last the General Episcopal Convention, holding its sessions in New York, were engaged in discussing the resolutions reported by the committee of nine on the war.

Instead of the Confederates, in their recent advance, crossing the Potomac at Hancock, as the northern papers state, the river was passed early on Friday above dam No. 5 on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and not far from Cherry Run station on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, from 10 to 15 miles west of Williamsport.

As a party of Confederate prisoners passed through Baltimore yesterday, they cheered for the South, &c., and a large crowd being collected, a disturbance ensued, which threatened for a while to be serious. But the police and guard interfered, and prevented any serious difficulty.

A letter from Greenock, Scotland, says the Southern agents have purchased a Clyde steamboat whose speed is eighteen or nineteen miles an hour, and are looking at three others with a view of obtaining them also.

The Washington Times has made its appearance as a morning paper. Though small in size, it is sufficiently large to contain all the news of the day, which it does, in a brief form. Its editorial department is conducted with spirit.

The election in Delaware for Inspectors, preliminary to the general election, it is said, has resulted in favor of the Democrats by a majority of one thousand.

## Official Dispatch from General Buell.

PERRYVILLE, Ky., via Bardstown, Oct. 10, 1862.—To Major General Halleck, General in Chief:—I have already advised you of the movements of the army under my command from Louisville. More or less skirmishing has occurred daily with the enemy's cavalry.—Since then it was supposed the enemy would give battle at Bardstown.

My troops reached that point on the 4th inst., driving out the enemy's rear guard of the cavalry and artillery. The main body retired towards Springfield, whither the pursuit was continued. The centre corps, under Gen. Gilbert, moved on the direct road from Springfield to Perryville, and arrived on the 7th instant within two miles of the town, where the enemy was found to be in force.

The left column under Gen. McCook, came upon the Nashville road about ten o'clock yesterday, the 8th inst. It was ordered into position to attack, and a strong reconnoissance directed.

At four o'clock I received a request from Gen. McCook for reinforcements, and learned that the left had been severely engaged for several hours, and that the right and left of that corps were being turned and severely pressed. Reinforcements were immediately sent forward from the centre.

Orders were also sent to the right column, under Gen. Crittenden, which was advancing by the Lebanon road, to push forward and attack the enemy's left, but it was impossible for it to get in position in time to procure any decisive result.

The action continued until dark. Some fighting also occurred on the centre. The enemy were everywhere repulsed, but not without some momentary advantage on the left.

The several corps were put in position during the night and moved to the attack at six o'clock this morning. Some skirmishing occurred with the enemy's rear guard. The main body had fallen back in the direction of Harrodsburg.

I have no accurate report of our loss yet.—It is probably pretty heavy, including valuable officers.

Generals Jackson and Terrill, I regret to say are among the killed. D. C. BUELL, Major General Commanding.

The news from Kentucky is somewhat confused as regards details connected with the report of the late Federal success. It is denied that there was a second "severe battle" near Perryville on Thursday of last week—so that the whole battle in which it is represented the Confederates were so put to flight, was concentrated within the previous day's operations.—The remains of the Federal Generals, Jackson, Terrill and Webster, had arrived at Louisville. The Confederates were said to be fleeing towards Harrodsburg, but it appears that in the meantime the Confederate General Kirby Smith's whole force has turned up in another direction, near Frankfort, and captured a government wagon train, with several officers, and that 550 of General Hill's forces, who had straggled, have also been captured. Grayson, also, has been taken by the Rebels. Cannoning was heard on Saturday at Laurenceburg, Ky., and reinforcements were sent from Louisville in that direction. A later despatch says that "all is quiet, although the anomalous condition of Kirby Smith causes some uneasiness." *Baltimore Gazette.*

John Owens and Lurkin Davie were arrested by the Potomac flotilla, on the charge of attempting to run the blockade, and were completed to the Old Capitol on Saturday.

On Sunday night eleven prisoners and deserters were brought to Washington from Fairfax. A portion of them were captured by the Federal scouts and pickets while visiting their homes and friends, and others are deserters.